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Please find attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Application No. Applicant(s) Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment 10/560,790 GHOSH, PETER (37 CFR 1.121) Art Unit 1700

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The amendment document filed on 28 July, 2008 is considered non-compliant because it has failed to meet the

	quirements of 37 CFR 1.121 or 1.4. In order for the amendment document to be compliant, correction of the following m(s) is required.
тн	HE FOLLOWING MARKED (X) ITEM(S) CAUSE THE AMENDMENT DOCUMENT TO BE NON-COMPLIANT: 1. Amendments to the specification: A. Amended paragraph(s) do not include markings. B. New paragraph(s) should not be underlined. C. Other
	□ 2. Abstract: □ A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72. □ B. Other
	 ✓ 4. Amendments to the claims:
	☐ 5. Other (e.g., the amendment is unsigned or not signed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.4): For further explanation of the amendment format required by 37 CFR 1.121, see MPEP § 714.
TIM 1.	ME PERIODS FOR FILING A REPLY TO THIS NOTICE: Applicant is given no new time period if the non-compliant amendment is an after-final amendment or an amendment filled after allowance, or a drawing submission (only) if applicant wishes to resubmit the non-compliant after-final amendment with corrections, the entire corrected amendment must be resubmitted.
2.	Applicant is given one month , or thirty (30) days, whichever is longer, from the mail date of this notice to supply the correction, if the non-compliant amendment is one of the following: a preliminary amendment, a non-final amendment (including a submission for a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114), a supplemental amendment filed within a suspension period under 37 CFR 1.103(a) or (c), and an amendment filed in response to a Quayle action. If any of above boxes 1 to 4 are checked, the correction required is only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121.
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Abandonment of the application if the non-compliant amendment is a non-final amendment or an amendment filed in response to a Quayle action; or

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Continuation of 4. Other: CLAIM 50 HAS AN INCORRECT STATUS IDENTIFIER THERE ARE NO MARKINGS TO SHOW WHAT'S BEING ADDED/IDELETED.